

# 8 / I.D.S  
6

<p><b>FORM PTO-1449</b> (Rev. 2-32)</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>U.S. Department of Commerce</b> <b>Patent and Trademark Office</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT</b> (Use several sheets if necessary)</p>	<p><b>Atty. Docket No.</b> 01-1702</p> <p><b>Serial No.</b> 09/980,265</p>	<p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;"><b>RECEIVED</b></p> <p><b>Applicant:</b> MAY 17 2002</p> <p>Bachy et al. <b>TECH CENTER 1600/2900</b></p> <p><b>Filing Date:</b> June 8, 2000</p> <p><b>Group:</b> 1635</p> <p>To be assigned</p>
--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------	------------------------------------------------------------------------------------	--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------

**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

Examiner Initial	Document Number	Date	Name	Class	Subclasses	Filing Date if Appropriate

**FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS**

		Document Number	Date	Country	Class	Subclass	Translation	
							Yes	No
		WO 95 2 6 2 0 4	Oct 5, 1995	PCT			✓	
		WO 98 3 7 9 1 9	Sept 3, 1998	PCT			✓	

**OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)**

			Liang, H., et al. "Activation of Human B Cells by Phosphorothioate Oligodeoxynucleotides." <i>J. Clin. Invest.</i> 98(5), pp. 1119-1129 (1996).
1			Boggs, R. T., et al. "Characterization and Modulation of Immune Stimulation by Modified Oligonucleotides." <i>Antisense &amp; Nucleic Acid Drug Development.</i> Vol. 7, pp. 461-471 (October 1997).
1			Krieg, A. M., et al. "CPG Motifs in Bacterial DNA Trigger Direct B-Cell Activation." <i>Nature.</i> Vol. 374, pp. 546-549 (1995).
1			Parronchi, P., et al. "Phosphorothioate-Oligodeoxynucleotides Promote the In Vitro Development of Human Allergen-Specific CD4+ T Cells Into Th1 Effectors." <i>J. Immunol.</i> 163(11), pp. 5946-5953 (1 December 1999).
			Lang, R., et al. "Guanosine-rich Oligodeoxynucleotides Induce Proliferation of Macrophage Progenitors in Cultures of Murine Bone Marrow Cells." <i>European Journal of Immunology.</i> Vol. 29, No. 11, pp. 3496-3506 (November 1999).
EXAMINER			DATE CONSIDERED 4/1/03

EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication.